



General Assembly

January Session, 2013

**Proposed Bill No. 6268**

LCO No. 2339

Referred to Committee on EDUCATION

Introduced by:  
REP. URBAN, 43rd Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE REDUCTION OF SPECIAL EDUCATION COSTS TO TOWNS AND TO SHIFT THE BURDEN OF PROOF IN SPECIAL EDUCATION HEARINGS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 10-76g of the general statutes be amended to reduce the
- 2 reimbursement threshold for special education costs and to require the
- 3 state to be financially responsible for one hundred per cent of the
- 4 marginal costs for severe needs students. To further amend
- 5 subdivision (1) of subsection (d) of section 10-76h of the general
- 6 statutes to shift the burden of proof to the party requesting the hearing
- 7 in special education hearings to determine educational placement.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To provide financial assistance to towns for the provision of special education and related services.